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and shall so notify the recipient in writing.

PART 1631—EXPENDITURE OF GRANT FUNDS

Sec.

1631.1 Policy.

1631.2 Application and waiver.

AUTHORITY: 42 U.S.C. 2996e(b)(1)(A), 2996f(a)(3); Pub. L. 99–190, 99 Stat. 1185; Pub. L. 99–180, 99 Stat. 1136.

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§ 1631.1 Policy.

No Legal Services Corporation funds, including income derived therefrom and those LSC funds held by organizations which control, are controlled by, or are subject to common control with, a recipient or subrecipient, a group of recipients and/or subrecipients, or agents or employees of such organizations shall be expended, unless such funds are expended in accordance with all of the restrictions and provisions of Pub. L. 99–180 of December 13, 1985, except that such funds may be expended for the continued representation of aliens prohibited by said Public Law where such representation commenced prior to January 1, 1983, or as approved by the Corporation.

§ 1631.2 Application and waiver.

(a) The Corporation may grant a waiver of the restrictions contained in this part to enable a program to complete representation in cases which commenced prior to January 1, 1986.

(b) Programs seeking a waiver pursuant to paragraph (a) of this section must submit documentation to the Corporation detailing their efforts to dispose of such cases in accordance with the procedures required in § 1626.6(a) (1), (2) and (3), and receive Corporation approval to expend funds for completion of the affected cases.

PART 1632—REDISTRICTING

Sec.

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AUTHORITY: 42 U.S.C. 2996e(b)(1)(A); 2996f(a)(2)(C); 2996f(a)(3); 2996(g)(e); 110 Stat. 3009; 110 Stat. 1321(1996).

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§ 1632.1 Purpose.

This part is intended to ensure that recipients do not engage in redistricting activities.

§ 1632.2 Definitions.

(a) *Advocating or opposing any plan* means any effort, whether by request or otherwise, even if of a neutral nature, to revise a legislative, judicial, or elective district at any level of government.

(b) *Recipient* means any grantee or contractor receiving funds made available by the Corporation under sections 1006(a)(1) or 1006(a)(3) of the LSC Act. For the purposes of this part, *recipient* includes subrecipient and employees of recipients and subrecipients.

(c) *Redistricting* means any effort, directly or indirectly, that is intended to or would have the effect of altering, revising, or reapportioning a legislative, judicial, or elective district at any level of government, including influencing the timing or manner of the taking of a census.

§ 1632.3 Prohibition.

(a) Neither the Corporation nor any recipient shall make available any funds, personnel, or equipment for use in advocating or opposing any plan or proposal, or representing any party, or participating in any other way in litigation, related to redistricting.

(b) This part does not prohibit any litigation brought by a recipient under the Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended, 42 U.S.C. 1971 *et seq.*, provided such litigation does not involve redistricting.

§ 1632.4 Recipient policies.

Each recipient shall adopt written policies to implement the requirements of this part.